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**Re: Hope Iron & Metal Superfund Site Information Request to
Southwest Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation**

Dear Mr. Eppler:

I write as counsel for Southwest Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation. As requested by the Cooperative, I have enclosed the Cooperative's Answers to the above referenced Information Request sent with a letter dated March 29, 2017, from Mr. Ben Banipal. If additional information is needed, or there are any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,


R. Gary Nutter

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copy w/encl: Mr. C. Wayne Whitaker

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**SOUTHWEST ARKANSAS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION'S
ANSWERS TO HOPE IRON & METAL SUPERFUND SITE
INFORMATION REQUEST**

1. Identify the person(s) that provides answers to the questions below on behalf of Southwest Arkansas Electric Cooperative Corporation (Respondent).

Answer 1: R. Gary Nutter

2. Does the Respondent wish to designate an individual for future correspondence from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency that associates the Respondent to this Site? If yes, please provide the individual's name, address, telephone number, and fax number.

Answer 2: No.

3. Please identify the Respondent's corporate parent and all of its corporate subsidiaries, if any.

Answer 3: The Respondent has no parent corporation. The Respondent has one corporate subsidiary, Southwest Arkansas Telecommunications & Technology, Inc.

4. Please provide any documents or record of communications related to enforcement activities, actions, or contacts with any Federal, State, or Local regulatory entities directed toward the Respondent and the Site.

Answer 4: There are none.

5. Concerning Respondent's relationship with Hope Iron & Metal and that also had involvement with real property located at 705 North Main Street, Hope, Arkansas:

A. Please identify and provide a copy of all documents having information that pertains to any agreement(s), or intended agreement(s), between Respondent and any business entity as listed in '5' above, and that also had involvement with real property located at 705 North Main Street, Hope, Arkansas;

Answer 5.A.: There are none.

B. At any time has Respondent conducted business with or otherwise legally associated with any business entity with a name as listed in '5' above, and that also had involvement with real property located at 705 North Main Street, Hope,

Arkansas? If your answer to this question is yes, please explain and provide a copy of the agreement(s) and/or contract(s), or documentation of association.

Answer 5.B.: No.

6. Concerning the Hope Iron & Metal facility located at 705 North Main Street, Hope, Arkansas (the Site):

A. Please identify the date range that Respondent conducted business with the facility at 705 North Main Street, Hope, Arkansas.

Answer 6.A.: None.

B. Please describe any transformers, electrical equipment, or any other materials delivered to Hope Iron & Metal at 705 North Main Street, Hope, Arkansas 71801, for disposal or recycling.

Answer 6.B.: There were none.

C. Please identify and provide a copy of all documents, including but not limited to, contracts, invoices, correspondence, manifests, bills of lading, sample analysis, etc. that pertains to Hope Iron & Metal.

Answer 6.C.: There are none.

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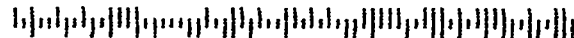
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